

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Confirmation No.: 3971

OI *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 2815

Application No. 09/421,322

Examiner: ECKERT II, GEORGE

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Title: DIELECTRICALLY SEPARATED WAFER AND METHOD
OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

April 7, 2004

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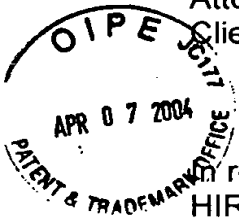
AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
P.O. BOX 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Attorney's Docket 061063-0264817
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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS		HIGHEST NO.		PRESENT		RATE	ADDIT. FEE		
REMAINING	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PAID FOR	EXTRA					
AMENDMENT									
TOTAL	4	-	20	=	0	X \$ 18.00	=	\$	0.00
INDEP.	3	-	6	=	0	X \$ 86.00	=	\$	0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						+ \$ 290.00	=	\$	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE								\$	0.00
GRAND TOTAL								\$	0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

Date: April 7, 2004
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